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APPLICANT(S): Wilkie et al.
SERIAL NO.: 09/747,293 GROUP NO.: 1615
FILING DATE: December 22, 2000 EXAMINER: Not Yet Assigned
TITLE: Methods and Compositions for Sealing Tissue Leaks

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Sir:

In response to a "Notice to File Missing Parts of Application" dated February 15, 2001, Applicants submit the following:

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2. the surcharge set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e), \$65.00;
3. a Petition for a four month Extension of Time;
4. the fee for a four month extension of time, \$695.00;
5. a copy of the "Notice to File Missing Parts of Application";
6. a Preliminary Amendment;
7. a Statement Regarding Small Entity Status; and
8. a Declaration and Power of Attorney for Utility or Design Patent Application.

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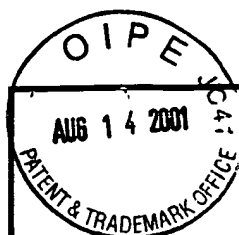
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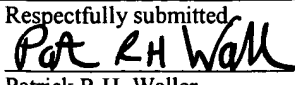
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Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing.
Applicant must submit \$ 710 to complete the basic filing fee and/or file a small entity statement claiming such status (37 CFR 1.27).
- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is \$4956.
 - \$3726 for 207 total claims over 20.
 - \$960 for 12 independent claims over 3.
 - \$270 for multiple dependent claim surcharge.
- The oath or declaration is missing.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
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